COAT timeline 2025

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| Term 3, 2024 | Friday, 20 September | * Schools can download the syllabus learning contexts from Unit 3 on which the 2025 COAT will be based.
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| Term 2, 2025 | Friday, 9 May | * Schools receive printed copies of the COAT stimulus material.
* WASN identification sheet for each student available to be downloaded from SIRS by school COAT contact.
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| Monday, 12 May | * Marking key available to be downloaded from the English as an Additional Language or Dialect page on the Authority website.
* Marks collection form available to be downloaded from SIRS2 by school COAT contact.
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| Monday, 12 May | * Schools receive information about uploading the Year 12 EAL/D ATAR course COAT, including student marks and audiovisual recording files.
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| Monday, 12 May to Friday, 6 June | * Administration of the COAT in schools.
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| Monday, 9 June | * Last day for the Authority to receive all student’s COAT **raw** marks by criterion (RSCOT file) in SIRS.
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| Wednesday, 11 June | * Last day for the Authority to receive all student’s COAT audiovisual recordings from schools.
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| Saturday, 5 July to Sunday, 20 July | * Independent marking of the COAT for Authority-selected recordings.
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| Term 3, 2025 | Friday, 15 August | * Schools can access SIRS reports containing COAT feedback.
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| Friday, 26 September | * Schools informed of the syllabus context from Unit 3 on which the 2026 COAT will be based.
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